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Request For Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on February 13, 2003, in the above-captioned patent application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and include August 13, 2003. A check in the amount of \$1032 is enclosed to cover the three-month extension of time fee and additional claims for a large-entity. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the fees required by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to extend the period for responding or to maintain the instant patent application pending, please charge or credit such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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